

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 160

By Montgomery

A RESOLUTION to encourage the TSSAA to appoint two (2) school superintendents to the TSSAA Board of Control.

WHEREAS, a chartered corporation established by its member schools, the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association is charged with the mission to provide leadership and coordination for the administration of interscholastic athletics for its members schools; and

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association's administrative authority is vested in a Board of Control, composed of nine (9) members elected individually from each of nine (9) Athletic Districts by the representatives of the member schools from that district; and

WHEREAS, TSSAA by-laws require all Board of Control members to be full-time employees of a member school who are either a principal, superintendent or an assistant principal who devotes full time to administrative duty; only those county or city superintendents of systems of no more than one (1) four-year high school or senior high school are eligible for membership; and

WHEREAS, many school systems across Tennessee enjoy the leadership and service of outstanding superintendents who are not eligible for service on the Board of Control due to the size of their school district; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that the TSSAA is encouraged to appoint two (2) school superintendents to the TSSAA Board of Control to further enhance its mission to provide leadership and coordination for the administration of interscholastic athletics in Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.